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Important Decision from the U.S. Supreme Court.

Upon an appeal from the Supreme Court of Georgia, in a case of a contract soil to take the places of the old ones, involving the price of a negro slave, a many of our finest New Endland homevery important decision was rendered in steads which for many successive generathe Supreme Court of the United States tions have remained in the hands of the on Monday last, touching the rights and same families, are now being pressed for powers of the States and of the United sale at a great sacrifice. Strangers are States, under the national constitution, as coming in who have very little capital and it was and as it is. Before the Georgia less skill in agriculture, and who are con-Court, the defendant (against whom the tent with such a slip-shop style of cultivanote for the price of the slave was held) pleaded that under the new State constitution the Court had no jurisdiction over the subject, and the judgment of the Court | running to waste, and the material proswas for the defendant, and upon three propositions which rise to the wisdom of

Dogberry. Thus the Supreme Court of Georgia affirmed-first, that when the State Constitution of 1868 was adopted, Georgia was giving more attention to those departnot a State in the Union, but a conquered | ments and specialities which, as experience Territory, completely at the mercy of the has demonstrated, can be made abundant conqueror, and that accordingly the constitution of the United States in reference | These specialities include such perishable to the obligation of contracts, as to all other things, would not apply to Georgia; age with similar articles brought here second, that her new constitution does not affect this contract (the note given for the purchase of the slave,) but only denies jurisdiction to her Courts to enforce it; third, that this constitution was forced upon the State by Congress and it is the act of Congress, and that though a State by producer has decidedly the advantage. cannot pass a law impairing the validity of contracts, Congress can and has passed staples, not liable to speedy deterioration, such a law in this State constitution, and which are raised with so much greater fatherefore the contract on this negro slave cility at remote points of the West that is impaired, and the note for the money the cost of transportation to the East due on his purchase goes for nothing, be- is more than offset by the cheaper proing reduced to the same value as the duction and culture on a larger scale. promises to pay of the "Confederate States," which is the value of waste paper.

The Supreme Court of the United States gia, and against it affirms that the national constitution created not a confederacy of States, but a government of individuals -in other words, a government of the people of the United States as a nation; that their object was an indestructible government; that the doctrine of secession is the doctrine of treason, and practical secession is practical treason; that the States in rebellion were never out of the Union, and never absolved from the duties, liabilities and restrictions always incumbent upon them; that the present State constitution of Georgia was the act of Georgia. and was accepted by Congress, and that the action of Congress on the subject cannot be inquired into, the authority of Congress in such matter being conclusive.

This decision is now part of the supreme

law of the land, and sweeps away all these fallacies that the Union is a confederacy of States, that each State has reserved to itself the sovereign right of secession, and that the rebel States were out of the Union during the war of their Confederate rebellion.

Southern Claimants.

The Southern Claims Commission have issued the following circular to all persons interested, concerning the manner of taking testimony by the persons designated by them to perform that service:

sons designated to take testimony must quart of hot suds. Put in your silverware be present in every instance when the and wash, using an oid nail-brush for the witness is sworn and examined, and must purpose. For cleaning hair-brushes, etc., attend personally to his examination. He simply shake the brushes up and down in must see that each and every printed question, and every part of each question to one pint of hot water; when they are is propounded (excepting only where the question is not pertinent,) and the answer in every case must be taken in the identical language of the witness.

In case a colored person is claimant the previous condition of such claimant whether bond or free, must be shown, and a rigid inquiry instituted to ascertain from whom the property alleged to have been taken or furnished, was obtained at what time and upon what consideration, and every necessary fact to show the claimant's title.

In case the claimant is a female, the proofs must show whether she is married or single; and her title to the property, as well as her right to present the claim, must be established directly, and not presumptively or inferentially.

If the witness is colored that should appear, and whether he was formerly the slave of the claimant, and whether he is now in his service, or lives on his land. If the witness is related to the claimant,

that should be stated, and how related. If the claimant owns land, the size of his farm, and where situated, should be

stated. The authority to take testimony, can in no way be delegated to any third party. A clerk may be employed if desirable, but he must be the clerk of the person taking the testimony, and not the attornoy of the claimant, or a clerk furnished by the attorney or claimant, and evidence must be written out under the eye and immediate supervision of the person authorized to take the same. All omission and uncertainties are taken strongly against the claimant, and will seriously prejudice the claim.

New England Agriculture.

[From the Boston Commercial Bulletin.

Since the war, the scarcity of farm labor mong us has continued without any sen-ible mitigation, causing in the first place,

With enormously heavy local taxes, and most kinds of farm products cheaper laid down here from western shipping points than they can be raised on the spot, with no help to be had scarcely at any price, and no young farmers growing up on the tion as will afford them a mere meagre subsistence. Thus, some of our best lands, which ought to be a source of wealth, are perity as well as social status of large sections is seriously impaired.

The only remedy for this evil would seem to be the introduction of a higher standard of scientific agriculture, and ly profitable to New England farmers .produce as do not compete at a disadvantfrom Canada and the West, and for which the closeness of our cultivators to the great centres of population will enable them to control the consuming market.— Where the value of these articles depend upon their quality and freshness, the near-But there are many other agricultural

For instance, most of the cereals, fresh and salted provisions, live stock, wool, half-hardy orchard fruits, and many kinds reverses this Dogberry decision from Geor- of roots and field vegetables, can be produced cheaper and in greater perfection and abundance at the West, than upon the cold, rugged, and comparatively sterile soil of New England. With the existing facilities for railroad communications, these will always be supplied to the Eastern market at a lower cost than the same article can be furnished from any other source nearer home, and hence it is useless for our farmers to enter into a commercial competition with them.

But in the higher grades of dairy products, poultry, eggs, small fruits, and choice vegetables, the latter have opportunities for profitable production that cannot be surpassed by any section of the

A Useful Article.

Amonia, or as it is generally called, spirits of hartshorn, is a powerful alkali, and dissolves grease and dirt with ease.— It has lately been recommended very highly for domestic purposes. For washing paint, put a tablespoonful in a quart of moderately hot water, dip in a flannel cloth and then wipe off the woodwork; no scrubbing will be necessary. For taking greasy spots from any fabric use the amonia nearly pure, then lay white blotting paper over the spot and iron lightly.

In washing lace put about twelve drops in a pint of warm suds. To clean silver, The commissioners insist that the per- mix two teaspoonsful of ammonia in a a mixture of one tablespoonful of ammonia cleansed, rinse them in cold water, and stand them in the wind or in a hot place to dry. For washing finger marks from looking-glasses or windows, put a few drops of ammonia on a moist rag, and make quick work of it.

If you want your house plants to flourish, put a few drops of the spirits in every pint of water used in watering. A tea-spoonful will add much to the refreshing effects of the bath. Nothing is better than ammonia water for cleansing the hair. In every case rinse off the ammonia with clear water; to which we would only add that, for removing grease spots, a mixture of equal parts of ammonia and alcohol is better than alcohol alone, and for taking out the red stains produced by the strong acids in blue and black cloths, there is nothing better than ammonia.

Here is a terrible story of assassination from Missouri. On Wednesday a mob stopped the eastward bound train on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, at Gunn City in Cass county, Mo., and murdered G. R. Cline, J. C. Stephenson and S. E. Dutrou. Stephenson was a member of 1st, 1873." the County Court, and presiding judge when the recent bond excitement was raised. The mob threatened to kill any one who hereafter identified them in commenced their work of murder. Some of the mob were masked, and all had revolvers or shot guns. They numbered about 75 or 100 men. court or elsewhere, and said they had just

The following is one of the best cough syrups now in use, for consumption, liver complaints and colds: Take four large on-A very unfortunate Missourian went to a masked ball, danced several times with a charming domino, and finally proposed a charm a charming domino, and finally proposed an elopement, which was agreed to.—
After the flight he discovered to his horror that the lady was his wife.

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Fredricksburg, Ya,

Hogshead hoops to the value of over discovered to his tender age and on condition that his guardian would give him a good whipping.

The Columbus, Ga., post office returns a month to Cuba by A. K. Phillips & Co., of knocked down for \$500,

A Bloody Row—A Desperate Fight in the Cherokee Country.

Further particulars of the recent affray in the Indian Territory are as follows! eible mitigation, causing in the first place, a demand greatly in excess of the supply and the payment of very high prices, and finally, when such labor became too expensive for profitable farming, a reduction of the demand to at least a parity with the supply. Of course this last mentioned and existing condition of things implies a measurable decay of our local agricultural interest, and a material decline in the market value of farm property. The latter was never so cheap with us as at the present time—of course we mean relatively cheap, as compared with other kinds of real estate—now were there ever so many sellers of this class of property.

With a compared becay local taxes and miles west of that place. About 3 P. M. "Proctor was undergoing trial for the murder of his wife at the Court House in The Indian Court House is about twelve miles west of that place. About 3 P. M. on Monday they arrived at the Court House. They dismounted, hitched their horses and quietly walked toward the east side of the house in files by twos. They stopped at the corner, and Beck stepped around to the front door and looked in. Seeing a large number of men inside armed to the teeth, he turned immediately to come away, but not before he was fired upon and dangerously wounded. At the

> "Berk had some friends inside the Court House, who, when they saw him fall, opened fire on his (Beck's) enemies inside, and presently the fight became general. It was brief, however, but terrible in its rethree. Some sixteen or seventeen are reported wounded-some mortally."

without, who then commenced to return

In view of this affray, Lieutenant-General Sheridan has ordered eral Grierson, with two companies of infantry, to re-occupy Fort Gibson, and capture and drive out the murderers and marauders in the Indian Territory.

Death of the Largest Woman in the World.

Died, on Monday evening last, in St. Louis, Mrs. Amelia Brooks, whose weight is stated to have been between 900 and area at the date of return, and that snow value of manufactured iron for the year

There was some little difficulty experiarge enough a box was built six feet long, twenty-eight inches broad and twenty-six in depth. Even this was not sufficiently wide, and it was found necessary to compress the form nine inches, but as that was the widest box that could be got into the room without tearing out the front of the house it was thought more charitable to reduce the clay than to injure the premises. Her dimensions were five feet ten inches in height, twenty-eight inches across the shoulders and thirty-seven inches across the hips. Her arms were thirtysix inches in diameter.

When she had been arrayed in burial vestments, it was found impossible for seven men to lift her. Finally the box was tilted on one side and she was rolled in while the priest chanted the services of the dead. She was then placed in a large wagon, which proceeded carefully to Calvary Cemetery. The wagon was backed up to the grave, and eight men and six rollers combined their exertions to lower her into her narrow bed. The earth was thrown upon her and a great tombstone

Scientific Farming. Scientific farming consists altogether and solely in deriving the greatest possible profit from the soil. Lessen the labor and increase the yield, is the sum of the whole. To do this, everything must be done at the right time, and in the best manner. By draining, the water must be got rid of; by cultivation, weeds must be destroyed; by manure, the soil must be enriched; by rotation of crops, the largest yield must be secured; by improving stock, the food must be economized and made of more tained. Any and every farmer who by more than he has hitherto done, by improved methods, is a scientific farmer, however much he way disown the name, and not only has he done a good thing for himself, but the world at large is, to some extent, better for his efforts and success his mission as a man, has been to that extent fulfilled, and he will leave the world better than he found it .- Hearth and

The New York World says that "on the 1st of May the work upon the new marble building to be erected on the southwest corner of Wall and Broad streets was commenced. A contract has been made with parties who promise to have the old buildings upon this site removed within two weeks, and two gangs of workmen, of three hundred each, began the work of demolition at noon and will continue it day and night till the debris is removed. The building is to be completed by May

Bleeding from a wound on man or beast, may be stopped by a mixture of wheat flour and common salt, in equal parts, bound on with a cloth. If the bleeding is

The difference between a blunder and mistake is this. When a man puts down a bad umbrella and takes up a good one, he makes a mistake; but when he puts

The Full Senate.

When the United States Senate, on Wednesday 1st, decided to admit General ansom as a member of that body from North Carolina, Mr. Thurman remarked hat, for the first time, since 1861, all the States are fully represented in Congress. Now that this much of justice has been done, tardily and ungraciously, however, the New York Evening Post says, "it would be well to take another step towards reconciliation and peace. The rule of the bayonet has been gradually giving way to law, although with apparent reof the bayonet has been gradually giving way to law, although with apparent re-luctance. At most, the proscription of the Southern leaders for political offences cannot continue through another administra- anticipating an influx of marauders. tion. It would be an admirable sequel to this act, completing the representation of the Southern States, for Congress to adopt an act sweeping away all disabilities. Universal amnesty is one of the demands of the hour."

not so commendable:

same time a volley was poured from the Court House upon the Marshal's force sult. Of the Marshal's force, seven out of Senate; but, as if by way of salve to his this kind were made. the eleven lay dead, and of the assailants disappointment, it has been decided to give him pay and mileage, just as though he had been a Senator. Mr. Abbott's claim was one of amazing impudence; allowing him pay now, is simply making an States; 42,000 of these are employed in

ter grain, says: March and the accumulations of winter manufactured last year was \$75,000,000. snow and ice, have retarded springing of The product of rolling mills and forges vegetable life and tinged with gloom the was \$63,000,000; the value of manufacviews of the local reporters over a large tures was \$762,000,000, and the entire 1,000 pounds. The Times of that city still covered deeply the grain fields, and only conjectures, founded on the forwardness and vigor of plants at the opening of of the winter grain.

The general tenor of the report carries the idea, not of sweeping destruction by freezing, but of injuries by thinning out, by killing in spots and patches, and especious growth. In many cases the plants, apparently dead, were not only steadily improving in appearance, but firmly rooted, and ready with favoring warmth and sunshine to start into sure and steady, if not rapid growth. Where the fields were drained, the soil deep and mellow, the casualties of winter have been unknown. on land having any fair degree of suitable

rather more than an average amount of living at Saltville .- Abingdon Virginian. destruction by winter. The killing retarded the growth, and stunted the appearance, but a sound condition of the roots of plants in suitable soil, or that covered uniformly with snow, may, with favoring weather, secure a vigorous growth and a good yield.

Savage Duel Between Mexican Ladies

Two Mexican ladies of rank, at a recent ball at Santa Cruiz, getting into a dispute in regard to the number of dances due each by a neutral lover, one of them throwing her No. 51 kid glove into the face of the other, challenged her to mortal combat. They met the next morning. The challenged having the choice of weapons, chose the short sword, and after a few passes her weapon passed cempletely through the white sword arm of her antagonist, entirely disabling it. Frantic value; and the how-to-do-for this is the sum and substance of agricultural science. Books on farming relate the experience of "come on Macduff." Nothing loath the successful men; the experiments they other took her position, the word was have made, and the results they have atgiven, and again the challenger was wounded, her left arm being broken by the use of his reasoning powers, is enabled the ball of her antagonist. She was carto raise one bushel of corn to the acre ried off the field in a swoon, and the other more fortunate fair married the casus belli two hours afterwards.

A Romantic Marriage.

A romantic marriage was celebrated a he residence of the Rev. Dr. Rarten in this city Monday evening. A young English lady who had crossed the ocean to meet her lover was united to the man of her choice in the presence of a few witnesses. She was one of the passengers on the steamer Moravian, which arrived here on Monday morning. Several months ago her lover came to America to seek his fortune. Landing at Norfolk, he went on to Richmond, where he readily obtained employment as a stone cutter. When he come over; and she, with that faith that only woman has, left friends and home and came to the arms of her lover. He had been wating here for two weeks for the steamer, and lost no time in making the faithful, trusting girl his wife. The happy pair left for Richmond yesterday morning. -Norfolk Journal.

contents of Dr. Helmboldt's drug store, on contents of Dr. Helmboldt's drug store, on Broadway, New York, on the 26th inst., was made at the instance of Griffin & Co., of Baltimore. Helmboldt owed his advertisers, it is stated, some \$300,000. The sale realized only \$15,000. It attracted a large attendance, but few buyors. Dozens of Helmboldt's "We have It" and "I have 150 per dozen; bettless

Mexican News.

flag floats over the fortifications.

Gen. Cavallos, now commanding here, is the man who, in 1869, took young and old men from their homes in Merida, Yucatan, and shot them without a trial.

Brownsville, Texas, April 30 .- The city is overflowing with women and chilpreserve neutrality. Citizens have organized themselves into an extra police force,

Three thousand women are now in the employment of the Government, and the applicants on the lists and waiting for vacancies probably reach ten thousand .-Those in the service are engaged in all the The New York Tribune, referring approvingly to the action of the Senate, comments as follows upon another proceeding, formerly performed by the men whose places they fill. They are not employed "It is not pleasant to be obliged to note, at Washington only, but are scattered all operation, and are paying from ten to over the country as postmistresses, light twenty per cent. dividends on capitals with this return of good feeling, a bit of over the country as postmistresses, light-house keepers, clerks in the United States ranging from \$100,000 to \$1,250,000.

Senate, which agreed to the report of Sen-Mints, and other places. Their salaries

TALLAHASSEE, April 30.—The Sup ator Morton to pay the mileage of Mr.
Abbott and a Senator's pay from March
4, 1871, to date. Nobody has ever pretended that Mr. Abbott represented any offices are filled by women, but few men constituency whatever. He claimed to be have been found willing to take the oath a Senator because he had several votes at required. The first woman ever appointan election at which Z. B. Vance, who ed to a Government office, was Mrs. Ann was politically disabled, was chosen Sena- Moore, in 1818, and from that time until tor. Of course he got no seat in the after the war, very few appointments of

THE IRON INTEREST .- One hundred and forty thousand operatives are employed in the production of iron in the United appropriation for the encouragement of preparing ore and fuel; 25,000 in preparing fuel for rolling mills; 42,000 in the rolling mills; 12,500 in blast furnaces; The April report from the Agricultural 3,500 in bloomeries; 800,000 are engaged Department, on the condition of the win- in manufacturing articles of iron. Thus we have a total of 925,000 employed in The low temperature of the month of the iron interest. The value of pig iron

Polygamy.—The Senate Committee on enced in placing the body in its "narrow dition of the soil, and the severity of the resting place." As no coffin could be found resting place." As no coffin could be found season, could point to the probable status consideration of a bill to prevent polygamy independence was sent from the city of season, could point to the probable status in the Consideration of a bill to prevent polygamy independence was sent from the city of the season, could point to the probable status in the Consideration of a bill to prevent polygamy independence was sent from the city of the season, could point to the probable status. in the Territory of Utah. Its features are essentially the same as those contained in by the presiding officer of the Liberal Conthe bill introduced by Mr. Voorhees, and vention. now under consideration in the House Committee on the Judiciary. It authorially by retarding an early start and vigor- zes the Courts to proceed against the Mormons who practice poligamy, and makes the fact of cohabitation and acknowledgement of marriage sufficient for

> GREAT YIELD OF MILK .- Captain James L. Cole, of this county, has a cow, now 10 years old, that yields, for six weeks after Where the seeding was done with the drill calving, eight gallons of milk per day, beon land having any fair degree of suitable sides affording the calf as much as it wants. preparation, an almost absolute indemnity from loss by freezing has been secured. of the fine stock introduced into this The April returns, as a whole, indicate country by Mr. Thomas L. Preston when section.

> > "Johney, where is your pa?" "Gone fishing sir." "He was fishing yesterday, was he not?" "Yes sir." What did he catch?" "One catfish, the rheumatism. two eels, the toothache, and some little ones. Ma says he will catch fits to-day; just wait till he gets home."

The San Antonio (Texas) postmaster received a letter lately "To My Mammy." It was not delivered till some weeks after a small fierce-looking old woman appeared at the post-office window, saying, "Mister, have you got any letter from my Johnny?" when he hit the mark at once.

STATE ITEMS.

The Raleigh News says: Twenty-seven English emigrants arrived in this city yesterday under the charge of Col. Geo. W. Little, the President of the North Carolina Land Company. They arrived from the mother country yesterday morning, at Norfolk, and came direct to this city with the fixed purpose of settling in our midst. They are gentlemen of character One building was pulled down. and distinction, many of them having been ex-officers in the British army and navy.

Mr. McIver, Superintendent of Public great damage to the fruit trees. Instruction, announces that if twenty or more teachers will hold an Instituto four weeks long under able and competent instruction, the State and the Peabody fund will each pay \$50 towards its expenses .-Our teachers ought to touch elbows at least once a year. So says the Biblical Recorder.

TOBACCO BARN BURNT .- The tobacco barn of William E. Thompson of this county, containing 2,600 pounds of tobacco, was burned to the ground last Sunday night. He lost a barn the same way about saw he had a prospect of steady employ-ment he wrote to his betrothed bride to fire about the barn for several days.— Many fence Hillsboro Recorder.

ATTENTION .- The Secretary of State wishes to call the attention of the County Commissioners to the fact that they must forward their requisites for Registration Books at once, as they cannot be manufac-tured until the total number required is ascertained. Copies of the law governing elections are being forwarded from that THE HELMBOLDT SALE.—The sale of the office as fast as possible.—Raleigh Sentinel.

There are just 55 miles of the Wilmin MATAMORAS, April 29.—Skirmishing is progressing around the city, and the wounded are being brought in. The black

The Advance says it is stated that there are more mad dogs in Nash county than was ever known before.

GENERAL NEWS.

In Laurens county, S. C., five hundred plows are idle, and ten thousand acres untilled in consequence of the recent Kuklux arrests. Fourteen prisoners, convicted of "conspiracy" were sentenced at Columbia, Wedgesday, to from two to ten years imprisonment and \$100 to \$1,000 fine.

The police of Japan are very vigilant. If you have anything stolen they pursue the thief and if the property is found on him they chop off his head at your doorstep. For a small consideration you are allowed to do your own killing.

A New England paper calls attention to the fact that the cotton mills in the Southern States now have 150,000 spindles in

TALLAHASSEE, April 30.—The Supreme Court to-day decided that the impeachment of Gevernor Reed is still pending, and that the Lieutenant-Governor legally holds the office as acting Governor.

There are 215 cadets at the Naval Academy, 39 of whom were appointed by the President, 4 are naval apprentices, 3 Japanese students, one is from the District of Columbia, and 169 from the various

A Texas cattle trader brought 3,000 head of cattle to Kansas to graze on the sunny slopes during the winter. He sold his ponies belonging to his herders, together with \$180 worth of hides recently; every head of his vast drove having actually frozen to death. On Wednesday afternoon week, three

unknown men were seen struggling in the rapids between the American shore and Goat Island. No help could be given them and they all went over the falls, Another explosion of fire damp occurred

at Pine Brook Shaft, Scranton, Pa., Friday morning, resulting in the burning of five miners who were so badly injured that they cannot possibly recover, The chair in which John Adams was

New York to Cincinnati, to be occu The Picayune has a special from San Antonia, Texas, saying the Indians attack-

ed a wagon train, and burned nine men and one woman. One woman escaped, who brought the news to Fort Clarke. The land scrip, appropriated to Virginia by Congress for educational purposes in

agricultural and mechanical arts has been sold to Gleason F. Lewis, of Cleveland, Ohio, for ninety-five cents per acre. The murder of a whole family by the name of Cook, is chronicled at Oakdale,

Minnesota, on the Nothern Pacific rail-

road, as the latest Indian outrage in that A new Chinese temple was recently consecrated in San Francisco, with 75 gods, two of which are 20 feet high and corres-

pondingly large. A dwelling was burned near Albany, N. Y., Friday week, and in it four children of a Mr. Volmar, and their grand parents.—

The Mother, father and one child escaped. Theologians and dispassionate men say that never was there more corruption in the criminal and detective police jurisdiction in large cities than at present.

One farmer in California, during last season, trapped and skinned 30,000 squirrels, selling the skins for glove-making, at fifteen cents each. The Lynchburg, Va., News, of May 1st announces the fact that three dead infants

were found in different places in that city on the same day. In only thirteen of the States do the receipts of the postal service exceed the ex-

penditures. Two of these are in the West.

Illinois and Iowa. There was a destructive fire in Kansas City, Mo., on the 21st ult., which burned five buildings and a quantity of goods.—

The army worms have appeared in Tenpessee in immense numbers, and are doing

While the winter in this country has been unusually severe and long, in the British Islands it has been one of the mildest on record. Worms have attacked the peach trees

about Columbus Ga., and the prospect for the peach crop is discouraging. James E. Castero, a noted horse thief and stage robber has been hung by vigi-

lants at San Benito, California. Gen. Wade Hampton, of South Carolina, delivered the Memorial Address in Raleigh

Many fences, tobacco barns and other buildings were blown down by a recent storm in Pittsylvania county, Va.

All the principal countries in Europe, except Austria, are reorganizing their army system.

A terrible hurricane has swept the foot and slopes of Vesuvius, greatly damaging the villages and remaining crops. Three Texas gentlemen will inclose 115,-

000 acres of land in one body for pastur-

The eruption of Mount Vesuvius has en-1,063 dogs were killed in St. Louis last

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR JOHN HUGHES Of Craven.

Of Wake.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE JOHN A. WOMACK, Of Chatham.

FOR AUDITOR COLLETT LEVENTHORPE, Of Caldwell.

FOR TREASURER JOHN W. GRAHAM Of Orange.

SUP'T OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION NEREUS MENDENHALL Of Guilford;

JOSEPH H. SEPARK Of Wake. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL WILLIAM M. SHIPP,

Of Mecklenburg.

FOR SUP'T OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DISTRICT CONVENTION .- The District Convention of the Democratic-Conserva tive Party of the Seventh Congressional District, will meet at Wilkesboro, on Thursday, the 23rd day of May, 1872. By order of the Committee.

R. F. ARMFIELD, Chairman.

County Convention.

notice was ordered:

A Convention will be held for the County of Davidson, at the Court-House in Lexington on Monday the 3d day of June 1872, for the purpose of nominating candithe several county offices,

who are in favor of honest and capable men in office—a good cheap government and who wish our Constitution changed On the 1st of March, 1792, a law was and who wish our Constitution changed and amended in the few important particulars proposed by the Legislature, and "February, 1793, and on the second Wed-

All the Townships are earnestly requested to hold meetings and send full delegations to said Convention, in order that the voice of the people of the whole county may be heard.

There will be public speaking on the occasion, and the amendments to the Constitution fully discussed and explained.

Let us have a Mass MEETING of the PEOPLE, so that these amends may be majority of the whole number of electors, thoroughly understood by all.

MANY CITIZENS. Lexington, N. C., May 29th, 1872.

In January, 1870, the Press took its stand in favor of the Liberal movement, in the following language:

"Believing that the issues of the past should be buried with the past, that we should not look back to indulge in regrets that are unavailing, but that we should bold and manly hearts to improve the future, and rescue the little that is left us from the ruthless grasp of the selfish politicians, and unprincipled adventurers who would plunge us still deeper in ruin and unworthy agents and instruments. disgrace."

We still stand upon the same platform. The people have become wearied of crimination and recrimination, and are anxious shall take the place of violence, party rage and mutual animosity.

Let us then concentrate around men of acceptable ideas and liberal sentiments, who advocate a new departure upon a path that cannot fail to lead us to a pros-

Such men, we honestly believe, are those who have been recently nominated by the Greensboro Convention, and me again heartily endorse the Conservative-Demoabout the ends above alluded to.

In the Senate on the 9th inst., Mr. Sumper's civil rights bill, as a substitute for the general amnesty bill, was defeated but afterwards adopted as an amendment bill by the casting vote of Vice-President Colfax. Several amendments, modifying Sumner's amendments, were defeated by Colfax's vote. The bill as amended final ly failed. This brought the House bill again before the Senate, when Mr. Sumner again moved his amendment. Mr. Morton renewed his amendment requiring persons applying for amnesty to swear they were not ku-klux or members of such associations. Adopted 29 to 17. The bill requiring a two-thirds vote, was rejected.

dren into the schools for white children, as there are separate schools in said township for the colored youth. The Court sustained the constitutionality of section 31 of the common school laws of the State, and held that the organization of separate schools for the colored children is not in conflict with the provisions of the four-teenth amendment of the Constitution of the Laited States.

It is no for social theorists, that in a hot season the political feelings of men rise to their utmost; and perhaps it is safe, even now, to believe the coming campaign is to excite some people to an almost unprecedent dented warmth. At least, the tone of some of the administration organs indicate that their writers if unaccommodated with hearts and brains, are not without and South Carolina is of the same personate.

The Political Outlook,

The political outlook is becoming more favorable every day, for the Liberal or Reform party. We might fill our columns with intelligence from all quarters showing that the Liberal movement has not been instigated by politicians, but it seems to be a spontaneous movement of the people of all parties, who are endorsing the Cincinnati platform, rapidly falling into line, and taking position against the present administration.

True, there will be a Democratic Convention held at Baltimore, and some are disposed to await the result of the proceedings of that body; -but the impression seems to be that the Cincinnati or Liberal ticket will be endorsed at Baltimore.-We hope the Baltimore convention will act wisely and not do anything rashly which may insure the re-election of Grant.

The Richmond Whig says: "The fact is that the Liberal ticket is the result, not of the schemes and manipulations of the politicians in that body, but, the work of the popular element therein represented. That element was too strong for the politicians, and it finally prevailed over them, So it will be in the canvass. The people will carry the ticket over the politicians and force them to surrender, or tread them under their feet. Let the politicians "stand from under," or they will fare badly. The rush of the people when it sets in, is like a hurricane,'

In connection with the Presidential nominations, it should be born in mind that it seems to be the object of the Radical party, if possible, to manage so as to create dissatisfaction among the Liberals, Democrats and Labor Reformers, and thereby secure four Presidential tickets, which would throw the election into the House of Representatives. The unscrupulous demagogues and cross-road politicians are busy now in Western North Carolina, sowing the seeds of discord among the old political parties in order to prevent them from uniting and overthrowing the present

obnoxious administration. Forewarned, forearmed!

The Richmond Whig says: The Philadelphia Press contemplates as among the By resolution of the County Meeting, possibilities, the running of four Presidenheld on the 29th of April, the following tial tickets this year: the regular Republican ticket, the Liberal ticket, a Democratic ticket and a ticket of the Labor Reformers. It says complacently, that if these tickets are all run, "the present "House of Representatives, which is large-"ly Republican, may have to choose from dates for the General Assembly and for "among the quartette our next Chief Mag-"istrate." [The House of Representatives is composed (there being two vacancies) All good men, without regard to party, of 138 Republicans and 103 Democrats-a

passed providing "that Congress shall be in session on the second Wednesday of who are opposed to Radicalism, are cordially invited to take part in this Convention.

All the Townships are earnestly request. 'the votes counted, and the persons who "shall fill the offices of President and Vice-"President ascertained and declared agree-"ably to the Constitution."

This was intended to carry out the welfth article of the Constitution of the United States, which prescribes the duties of the electors, and which devolves upon Congress the election of a President, when rals, rear-admirals and commodores-have no candidate has received the votes of a been created, principally, one would al-

LIBERALISM .- The Richmond Whia says: Every State of the South must to a greater or less extent be infested by carpet baggers and adventurers so long as of peace range from \$7,000 to \$13,000, Grant remains President. When they are expelled from State offices he takes harvest of over \$2,700. The annual paycare of them, bestowing upon them the most lucrative of the Federal oppointments. They are made by him the representatives of the Federal Government in all the States in which they have squatted. All of our people who have business to gird up our loins and step forward with transact with the Government have to transact it with these men, for whom they have a disgust. They bring the Government they represent into discredit, and our young people who are growing up, may be led to judge of the Govenment by its

If the Liberal ticket shall be elected, these people will be deprived of their offices, and will have to decamp or go to work. On no subject has Mr. Greeley spoken more strongly than on this subject, that calmness, moderation and conciliation of the "thieving carpet baggers." He describes them in one of his speeches as "fel-"lows who crawled down South in the "track of our armies, generally a very "safe distance in the rear, some of them "on suttler's wagons, some bearing cotton "permits, some of them looking sharply to "see what may turn up, and they remain "there. * * Some of them get elected Senators, others Representatives, some "sheriffs, some judges, and so on. And "there they stand right in the public eye, stealing and plundering, many of them with both arms around negroes and their heartily endorse the Conservative-Demo-cratic ticket as best calculated to bring they cannot pick a paltry dollar out of "them. * * Let us pray, they say. But "they spell pray with an e, and thus spell-"ed they obey the apostolic injunction to

"prey without ceasing." Mr. Greeley stands pledged to say to the carpet-bagger—"Go back, thieves."

Is it not better to help elect him, and thus secure the expulsion of this hated tribe, from place and position, in addition to securing many desirable and necessary The gale raged for a whole day and night,

A Hot SUMMER .- The philosophical far-

mer of the New York Tribune says : "That we are to have a hot and sudden summer is prophesied by many old farmers who know the coming season by the appearance of animals. As much fur on a great height, and in some places enclosure in writing or in print, subjects bear's back and many nuts in a squirrel's croached upon the land to such an extent the package to letter rates of postage. MIXED Schools—Important Decision.
Columbus, O., May 8.—The Supreme Court to-day refused to issue a mandamus against the directors of the sub-school district in Norwich township, Franklin county, for the admission of colored children, the schools for white children.

bear's back and many nuts in a squirrers croached upon the land to such an extent as to compel the people to recede further into the interior. Zinzibar is an island on the eastern coast of Africa, and like all islands on the coast is of corst formation, and comparatively low, consequently it is often seriously damaged by the action of the ways. dren into the schools for white children, tion of social theorists, that in a hot sea- the waves, an extraordinary heat generating spleen." sion,

The following statement is important as illustrating the marked differences between Radical and Democratic rule in this State, in the matter of saving money, and it is well worth reading and being carefully considered by every tax-payer in the

The first Legislature—the Radical Legislature—that assembled in pursuance of the present Constitution was in session 305 days, and cost the people of the State as follows, to-wit:

They sat from July 1st, 1868, to Aug. 24th, 1868, 55 days. They sat again from Nov. 16th, 1868, to April 12th 1869, less 13 days recess from Dec. 22nd 1868, to Jan. 3rd 1869 inclusive. 135 " inclusive,

They sat again from Nov.

15th 1869, to March 28th, 1870, less 20 days recess from Dec. 21st, 1869 to Jan. from Dec. 21st, 1808 to 1870, both days inclu-

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They sat in all
And cost the State for that \$430,644,60 The last Legislature-the Conservative Democratic Legislature-sat, During the session of 1870-'71, in all

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And cost the State the \$199,188.37 So that the account stands this way : The Radical Legislature The Conservative Legisla-

So the Radical Legislature tive.
The Radical Legislature \$430,644.60

The Conservative Legis-199,188.37 \$231,456.23 in favor of the Conservative Legislatur We think that sum is worth saving! We think too, that sum illustrates with great practical force, the difference be-tween Radical and dishonest rule on the

one hand, and Conservative and honest rule on the other! Let the people consider the difference, and mark it. The above statement is accurate and reliable. It is taken from the records at

the Treasury office. This is only one item-the cost of the Legislative Department of the Government. Other retrenchments were made by the Democratic Legislature, such as cutting down the salaries of officers and lopping off other unnecessary expenses

which we will refer to hereafter. To-day we wish to impress this fact on the people, and we challenge our oppoponents to deny it:

The Radical Legislature cost the State of North Carolina the sum of two hundred and thirty-one thousand, four hundred and fifty-six dollars and twenty-three cents ore than the Democratic Legislature.

That's the way the Money Goes. From 1855 to 1861 the United States Navy cost the Government only \$80,000, 000, while from 1865 to 1871-a time of peace—the expenses reached the enormous amount of \$161,000,000, or more than twice as much. How this money was expended is a question that the people would like to have answered. There has been no ship-building, no construction prordinance foundries, no preparations made for these possibilities which always exist in a ha-

tion like ours. But, on the other hand, a multitude of officials-admirals, vice-admimost think, to make away with enormous salaries. Last year's Naval Register contains the names of forty admirals on the active and retired lists, whose united salaries amounted to over \$400,000. The salaries of these useful gentlementin times roll of the navy amounts at the present time to over \$6,000,000. The negligence and willful blindness of the Government in regard to these things is more than culpable.- Nashville Banner.

The Back Down. The Secretary of State, it is positively stated, sent a telegram to Minister Schenck on Wednesday, in relation to the matter of indirect damages. In this dispatch Mr. Schenck is directed to inform her Majesty's Government that the United States never expected a money compensation for such damages. All that has ever been desired or contemplated has been a settlement of the principle. In fact, it is now alleged that it was always expected that the decision would be against the United States and that our Government would prefer it so, because with the "principle" once settled, there would be no danger that, when the United States shall occupy a neutral position, it can be held responsible for vessels that might go out from our extended line of coast to be employed by a belligerent. But as has been repeatedly stated, Mr. Schenck is directed to say that the United States will not "withdraw" the demand. It is the desire, however, that the proposition for the settlement, of the principle that neutralists are not to be held responsible for indirect damages, shall come from the British side. Yet, in spite of all this, the Government insists that it has not backed down. Members of the Foreign Affairs Committee are disposed to think differently, and think, too, that the backing down has been done in the most ignominious manner-a sort of back-door exit .- Washington Patriot.

Bombay telegrams announce a terrible storm on the 12th of April, at Zanzibar. and it is estimated that nearly one-half of the entire property on the island of Zinzibar was destroyed. Hundreds of houses were uprooted from their foundations, and dashed in pieces by the violence of the wind. Many of the inhabitants are believed to have been crushed to death by

ed its protege, or at least gives him advice which he will do well to heed:

"The disgraceful and painful condition of affairs in the Southern States, the tendency of the government to military or arbitrary assumption of power, and other evils which have been forcibly exposed at Cincinnati, have made the administration Cincinnati, have made the administration unpopular. Outside of the office-holders there is no enthusiasm or affection of it. For General Grant personally the people still have much respect, but little or none for his Administration. Unless he changes his course and the Cabinet he will run a great risk of being defeated next November. Unless he removes Mr. Fish, and, by the appointment of Mr. Washburne, or by the appointment of Mr. Washburne, or some such able man to the State Department, so as to give a high American tone to all our transactions with foreign nations, and particularly in the management of our delicate relations with Great Britain, he in greenbacks and specie. The burglar estimated in greenbacks and specie. The burglar estimated in greenbacks and specie. will lose more and more public confidence. Finding his popularity declining, the Philadelphia Convention even might consider the propriety of setting him aside, and either accept the Cincinnati nominees or enter into an agreement with them to take up new men acceptable to all Republicans. Politicians do not stick long to a sinking cause. Now is the time or never for General Grant to boldly take the responsibility of changing the course of his adminis-tration. The tide of a pelitical revolution has set it against him, and his own hand alone can stop its progress.".

Congress.

WASHINGTON, May 10. SENATE.—Sumner introduced his civil rights bill, and moved to have it calendar- er of the North Carlina Standard.

d. Bill ordered to be printed. House.—The bill taking away the Circuit Court jurisdiction of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia, and to create a Circuit Court in that District, passed.

The Fortification Bill was resumed. It aggregates two millions, and includes Forts in Baltimore harbor, Maryland, \$34,000; Forts on the Potomac River, Maryland, \$42,000; Fortress Monroe, Virginia, \$42,500; Forts Moultree and Sumpter, Charleston, \$70,000; Forts Jackson and Pullaski, Savannah River, \$40,000; Forts Taylor and Jefferson, Florida, \$85, 000; Forts Jackson and St. Phillip, Mississippi River, \$106,500. The bill passed.

The tariff occupied the balance of the day, with a big fight over pig iron, without any definite action.

TEA AND COFFEE TAX .- WASHINGTON, May 8 .- The Treasury Department has decided that after the first of July next, ea and coffee shall be subjected to no tax whatever, whether imported directly from the country of production or whether grown beyond the cape of Good Hope, and imported into the United States from and imported into the United States from places this side the Cape; this ruling being made in view of the provision in the bill recently passed that no further import duties shall be collected on the same.

Washington, May 9 .- Gen. A. C. Jones, of West Virginia, and Col. Sayer, of Alabama, had a rencounter to-day with canes and pocket knives. Gen. Joues was cut in several places, and had his wrist broken. Col Sayre had his throat cut and was stabbed in the abdomen. A fatal result, however, is not apprehended in either case.-The fight was quite desperate. It had its gentlemen are very popular, and the affair

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- Consultation today over the dispatches from Europe indicate irreconcilable difference between the United States and Europe regarding consequential damages.

The navy yards are worked to full

From the Charlotte Democrat. Important to Newspaper Publishers.

Seeing in several of our exchanges a the mailing of newspapers, we wrote to the Postmaster General asking for inforfollowing statement which is going the which lie died shortly after. rounds of the papers was incorrect:

MAILING NEWSPAPERS .- The Post-Office department has issued orders for the strict enforcement of the following new regulations: Name of sender cannot be written on the paper; no memorandum or intelligible inscription must be put inside the wrapper; no printed eard, hand bill or advertisement must be inclosed; no written notice, letter or written slip of any kind can be folded in; printed slips soliciting notices of the press pasted inside of newspapers or magazines, or outside of wrappers are in violation; also cross marks to ndicate that subscriptions had expired .-All other regulations are as formerly. A violation of any of these points subject the matter to letter postage, and the perpetra-

We asked the Postmaster General to inform us if the above was a correct statement of the law, and we are pleased to say that his answer shows that it is an erroneous statement in some important particu-

The following is the reply of the P. O. Department at Washington: POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1, 1872

W. J. Yates, Charlotte Democrat, N. C. SIR :- You are informed, in reply to your letter of April 27th, that, under the provisions of section 209 of the postal regulations to which you are referred, publishers may enclose in their publications sent to regular subscribers the bills for subscription thereto, without any additional charge for postage, and may write or print upon their publications or the wrappers thereof, the name and address of the subscribers thereto, and the date and when

Very Respectfully, J. W. MARSHALL, First Assistant P. M. General.

A DROVE OF HOGS BURNED TO DEATH .-The cattle pens in the rear of the "Bear-gress distillery" in Louisville Ky., was destroyed by fire on Friday last. The pen was filled with three hundred hogs, of which only about fifty escaped, and the cries of those which perished were piteous to hear as the flames progressed. The property destroyed was valued at \$6,000, besides the hogs, and there was no insuranco upon any of it.

Hon. Philo White and lady, now of Whitestown, N. Y., but formerly and during a long series of years, residents of Salisbury and Raleigh, are now at the Na-tional Hotel in the latter city, on a visit to tional Hotel in the latter city, on a visit to their many relatives and friends in this State. Mr. White, in 1834, was the found-

There are now in course of construction on the Delaware, near Philadelphia, twelve iron steamships, from 1,500 to 3, 500 tons capacity, each, and cost in the aggregate, \$6,200,000. Four of these steamers are for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and will be the largest iron steamers ever constructed in America.

The last issue of the Raleigh Sentinel contains the valedictory of John Spelman, Esq., who retires from that paper; also the salutatory of Mr. T. B. Kinsbury, who assumes the position of Associate Editor, vacated by Mr. Spelman. Mr. Spelman gives notice that he will, on or about the 15th inst, commence in Raleigh the publication of a weekly campaign paper devot-ed to the success of the ticket nominated off Old's Point, in Currituek Sound, by at Greensboro.

At the last term of Pitt county Superior Court the following cases were dispos. ed. Severel of the crew were severely ed of: to wit: State vs. Ed. Williams and Mary Ann Avery, indicted for the murder man, was on duty at the time of the exof Jas. Avery, husband of Mary Ann; ver- plosion.

manslaughter; sentence, five years in penitentiary.

The fire companies of Charlotte will celebrate with appropriate ceremonies, the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, which occurs on the 21st of May. The fire companies of Wilmington, Newbern and Columbia, S. C., have been invited to participate in the celebration.

There was a grand ratification meeting at Charlotte, on Saturday night. The city was illuminated and bonfires everywhere. origin in an old misunderstanding. Both Gov. Vance, R. P. Warring, Esq., Col. E. A. Osborn, Col. H. C. Jones and J. E. Brown, and other distinguished speakers addressed the meeting.

The Raleigh News says: Three thousand and five hundred dollars worth of diamonds were worn at the ball at the National on Friday evening, by ladies only.

The wheat crop in the vicinity of States ville is said to be unusually promising.— The American of that place says that Dr. Kelly has a field that is nearly three feet high and heading.

On Friday of last week, two colored paragraph in regard to the law regulating men named John Kittrell and Frank Rowe, employed at the National Hotel, Wilmington, N. C., had a difficulty, which terminated by Kittrell stabbing Rowe, mation on the subject, believing that the with a carving knife, from the effects of

On Thursday, S. D. Waitt, General Agent of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company in this State, paid to Mrs. Thomas Bragg, \$5,000, that being the amount of the policy of her late lameneed husband, Ex-Governor Bragg, in that com-

Some of the State papers in publishing our ticket, made Gen. Leventhrope hail from Rutherford county. He is a citizen of Caldwell county.

In Granville county, tobacco pays better than cotton. Two boys made \$2,400 worth of tobacco last season.

In Currituck county, when a young man takes his leave at a sociable, he kisses the girls all round. This is the original omnibus.—Raleigh News.

A rattlesnake has been killed in Brunswick county, which measured six feet in length, nineteen inches in circumference, and had eighteen rattles and two buttons. It had been a terror to the community.

In North Carolina a considerable num-ber of people find occupation in gold hunt-ing, and although the results of their operations are not great, many make a living from the pursuit, while a few of superior energy and skill gain something more. The gold veins best known are stationed in Stanley country, but a great part of the hilly country in North Carolina and Georgia is anniferous, though the metal is sat gia is auriferous, though the metal is seldom found in paying quantities. A British company which is working the mine at Gold Hill in North Carolina took out \$5,000 worth of ore in December last. After crushing and sifting the ore, they sell the refuse for \$20 a ton. The Hartford Times says that Mr. Risley, of Birlin, Conn., has been buying this refuse, and has made it yield \$40 a ton. It costs about three dollars a ton to work it over, leaving a profit of \$17 a ton. Small nuggets, weighing from five to fifteen penny-weights are frequently found by the negroes in that regian, and one much larger, worth \$200, turned up there not long ago. But that was an exceptional occurrence,—N. Y. Sun.

The American Agriculturist pronounces

eman who, when he use of her limbs, are reported as follows: Keith met Duyck upon the public road, and commanded him to halt, when at a distance of fifty yards. Duyck, not recognizing the right of Keith to halt him, continued to advance, and Keith drew a pistol and fired, ar was preparing to fire, when Duyck drew his revolver and the firing on both sides commenced—resulting in Keith being mortally wounded through the body and Duyck seriously through the luugs. Both were mounted and used navy revolvers.—Ral. News.

The chamber of Capt. R. A. Bost, of the Date House, Newton, Catawba county, Another remarkable condition of this Another remarkable condition of this

Another remarkable condition of this child of affliction is that it is claimed she cannot bear the application of water, as wherever it is applied it immediately swells, and becomes inflamed and painful. in greenbacks and specie. The burglar escaped before sufficient testimony could be procured to warrant his commitment.

Mr. John C. Wilkerson, a worthy and most estimable citizen of this county, went out Tuesday morning of last week, a mile from his house, made a rope of a grape-vine, climbed the tree and tied it, fixed the noose around his neck, and jumped off the limb. He was swinging dead when found. The good man had been under mental aberration for some time.—Hillsboro Recorder.

destroyed six squares of the heart of the town, embracing two-thirds of its entire value. The buildings burned included three hotels, every business house, store, and shop, but one; both banking-houses, the telegraph and express offices, and over thirty private dwellings. The total of the losses is estimated at \$1,000,000. Insurance, 75,000.

NEW YORK, May 10 .- Private letters from the Indian Territory say that a vigilance committee has organized at Tablequah to protect the citizens from outlaws and desperadoes. Great excitement prevails, and an application has been made for two companies of cavalry to patrol in the territory and preserve order. The number of desperadoes has greatly increased of late, and even the Indians are becoming alarmed.

Nonrolk, May 10.—A special messenger, who arrived here to-day from the scene of the disaster, reports the explosion off Old's Point, in Currituek Sound, by which the chief engineer, William Walker, his wife, child, and sister-in-law, were killscalded. The assistant engineer, a colored

A steamtug with means of assistance has been dispatched to the wreck by State vs. Jas. Jordon (white), guilty of Marshall Parks, president of the canal

> Nashville, Tenn., May 10.—The State Democratic Convention. B. J. Lee presiding, has renominated Brown for Governor. Resolutions were adopted which, in effect, endorse Greeley and Brown. The Convention elect the senatorial delegates to the Baltimore Convention, and leaves the selection of the others to the respec-

LONDON, May 10 .- The Daily Globe of this evening says it is rumored in trustworthy circles that negotiations between the British and American governments with regard to indirect claims were suddenly broken off to-day. In Parliament to-night, Granville in House of Lords, and Gladstone in Commons, promised a statement should be made Monday next, whether papers were received or not.

On the 26th ult. Daniel Perry, a deaf mute, residing beyond the White Sulphur, was driving from his field, with the aid of dogs, some hogs belonging to a Mr. Moore, when his son Charles T. Moore, became greatly exasperated, and seizing his gun advanced on Perry and shot him, the load of bird shot lodging in his heart and kill-inng him instantly. Moore gave himself up and is now in Lewisburg jail. It is said that a feud of long standing existed between himself and Perry. Moore was postmaster at White Sulphur in 1870.— Staunton Vindicator.

Searlet fever and miningetis is prevalent in Columbia, and proves fatal in almost every instance.

INGERSOLL, CANADA, May 8,-A fire has occurred here which destroyed nearly all the business portion of the town. Loss, \$500,000.

Grand Rapids, Michigan, May 8.— Squires' Opera House building, and Squires' stone flouring mill have been

Selma, Alabama, May 8 .- A fire this norning destroyed four stores. Loss \$75,-000, partially insured.

Gen. Cary, the distinguished Ohio tem-perance orator who has been lecturing in this State has gone to West Virginia, Ten cents a bushel is thought to be a

high market price for lemons and oranges in Brazil. Native fruits are a drug. Vegetation and pestilence thrive. The Mexicans, like the Spaniards, amid

all other troubles and deprivations, don't forget the bull-fight, and give it particular

Fire broke out recently in the stable at

the camp of Roquencourt, in Versailles, when fifty horses were burned to death or suflocated. St. Louis now extends for 14 miles on

the Mississippi River, and has an area of 25 square miles. Paris, Ky., May 9.—The Court-house and elerk's office were burned to-day. The

Ordinary beggars make from two to three dollars a day in Now York. Some, of greater ability, average five and six.

The population of Great Britain is placed at 31,000,000, while that of France is 37,000,000, Philadelphia produces over one-third of a billion of dollars' worth of manufactured

A bar of iron worth \$10 balance springs of watches \$250,000. Such is the power ous labor over raw material.

Tuskegee News. Salem is remarkable in many other things. It was settled over a hundred years ago by Moravians, or more properly "United Brethren. In 1749 the British Parliament acknowledg- June 13th. ed the Brethren as Episcopalians and passed an act to encourage them to settle in the colonies. The celebrated female school was in existence before the revolution .-The customs, language, style of architecture, manners and race are exclusively German. They are very hospitable to strangers, regular in all things and the most honest people in the world. We be-lieve to one outside of the brotherhood is permitted to own real estate within the limits of the city. It is most remarkable how they have preserved their customs and habits so distinct from the neighboring population.—Columbus (Ga.) Sun.

The above extracts contain several inaccuracies. There have been three or four buildings destroyed by fire during the past ninety years. Three within our recollection. Our citizens are, nevertheless generally careful with fire, and consequently we have escaped so far pretty well for nearly a century.

The exclusion of those "outside the brotherhood" from settling in the town has ceased, for a number of years. Some of the old customs are yet in vogue but many have long since succumbed to modern progress.

The Salem Female Academy was open ed in 1804.

IMPROVEMENTS .- Dr. Hunter is putting up a new brick building adjoining his residence, to be used as a dental operating room.

Dr. Siewers' new building is progressing finely.

Mr. Meller is also making arrangement to put another story on his brick building formerly occupied by Mr. J. R. Crist.

The old Academy building is to be en larged by two additional stories. All these improvements are at the lower end of town, and almost within a stone's throw of each other, and will add much to the appearance of this part of our good old town.

Other alterations and improvem in contemplation.

Mr. William Shultz has put up a large building in the rear of his former cabinet shop; it has an excellent planing and other machinery in operation.

We like to chronicle these signs of prosperity and we hope all our merchants and mechanics will meet with sufficient encouragement to stimulate them to increase their facilities to meet the probable demand of the public.

FIRE.—The alarm of fire, on Tuesday, was caused by the burning of Mr. Emanuel Reich's smoke-house, in this immediate vicinity. The smoke-house is near the dwelling, but by presence of mind and considerable exertion, the fire was confined to the place where it originated, accidentally. The house being of brick, the devouring element had nothing to feed on but some bacon and the roof of the build-

Mr. Reich returns his sincere thanks to all who assisted in extinguishing the fire.

The early varieties of Strawberries are ripening. A friend picked a quart of good ripe fruit from his vines on Saturday last.

Early May Cherries are "turning" fast and will be in market shortly. Then for tarts, pies, &c. Small fruits, generally, will be plentiful.

The Apple and Peach crop is very promising, and will be unusually full.

The weather has been warm and cool by turns for the past few days. We need rain badly, and the growing crops seem to be at a stand still, Several farmers are complaining of the fly in their wheat, which prevents proper heading. Others again say their prospects are fair. Upon the whole, therefore, we may predict an average crop in this section.

ACCIDENT. - Eli Sides, colored, had the thumb of his left hand cut off by the carriage of the Tongue and Groving machine at Fogle Brothers' Saw Mill, on Saturday last. He was resting his arm on the machine, and his thumb on the track of the carriage, which, in returning cut it off. Persons should avoid standing near, or leaning upon machinery, when in motion.

FOUND DEAD .- Mrs. Caroline Fishel wife of Jesse Fishel, was found dead in bed, on the morning of Friday, the 3rd inst.

DARE FAIRPAX .- A Novel, by Ada Agusta Gott. New York, E. J. Hale & Son.

The above volume has been placed on our table by the publishers. The tale is well told and the characters true to life, and the young author certainly exhibits a fine descriptive style. Some of the scenes are laid in the hospitals of the Confederate army; others relate to the clash of arms, with all their attendant horrors; and again others depict the social hospitalities of Virginia homes, and the heroic firmness of the ladies in those trying times .-Many of the passages are beautiful, especially the strength of woman's love, though doomed to disappointment and death, and the terrible straggle in another heart to discard him who had wrecked the life of one fair maiden, and had offered heart and hand to another. The death of the noble and chivalrous Dare, is a faithful delineation of the soldier's death. The

SUPERIOR COURT.-Forsyth Superior

TRINITY COLLEGE.-We return thanks for an invitation to attend the Commencement party at Trinity College, Thursday,

MARRIED.

In Yadkin county, on the 24th of March, by Rev. M. Baldwin, Mr. ALFRED STARLING and Miss ALMANY HALL. By the same, in Forsyth county, on the 9th inst. Mr. James H. Scorr and Miss Ellen Spras.

DIED.

In Davidson county, on the 8th inst., Mr. John Weisner, aged about 60 years. In this county, Mr. GEORGE TESH, in his 77th

THE MARKETS.

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Brown's Warehouse, Winston, May 10. Chamanted and LL. L. T II Town

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1-	" Fine 18 00 to 30 00
	" Extra Fine,None in Market.
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g	active, all grades running high, and buyers
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	" Good working 7 00 to 7 50
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Baltimore, May 13.—Cotton 000 a 00 Flour 7 00 a 7 62; Wheat, \$2 00 a \$2 25; Corn white, 82 a 00, yellow, 73 a 00; Oats, Bacon, 6 a 10; Whisky, 90 a CO; Lard 84 a 9. Richmond, May 14.-Wheat, \$1 374 a 0 00 Corn 00 a 78; Oats 65 a 00; Flour, superfine

Norfolk, May 13.—Bacon, sides, 71 a 9 Corn 71 a 77. Flour 61 a 82. Charlotte, May 14.—Bacon 11 a 112 Flour, 4 50 a 4 60; Corn, 95 a 92; Oats, 70 a 00 Wheat, \$0 00 a \$0 00; Whisky, \$0 00 a 0 00

Fayetteville, May 9.-Bacon 8 a 9 Flour, \$7 50 a \$8 00; Corn \$1 10 a \$0 00; Oats, 90; Rye, \$1 25; Wheat, \$1 50; Lard, 12 a 13; Whisky, \$2 25; Brandy, \$2 50.

Petersburg, May 14.—Flour \$7 50 a \$9 00; Wheat, red, \$1 90 a \$0 00, white \$2 00 \$0 00; Corn, 75 a 00; Bacon, hog round 91 a 10; Whisky, \$0 00; Brandy \$2 40 a \$3 00

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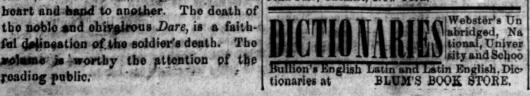
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If I had known in the morning

How wearily all day

The words unkind would trouble my mind

That I said when you went away,
I had been more careful, darling,

Nor given you needless pain;
But we yex our own with look and tone

We wish news take back again. We might never take back again,

For though in the quiet evening For though in the quiet evening
You may give me the kiss of peace,
Yet it well might be that never for me
The pain of the heart should cease!
How many go forth at morning
Who never come home at night!
And hearts have broken, for harsh words spoken
That sorrow can ne'er set right.

We have careful thought for the stranger,

And smiles for the sometime guest; But off for own the bitter tone, Though we love our own the best.

Ah! lips with the curve impatient,
Ah! brow with the shades of scorn,

Twere a cruel fate, were the night too late

humorous.

To undo the work of morn!

A TALE OF A PIG. - This is not the first story that has been told of a pig, but it has what has been called 'the element of unexpectedness' about it. Piggy got into a large yard where he did not belong, and trying to get out again, he stuck fast under a high board fence, and there began to kick and squeel in the good old way. His master, a big fat Irishman, hearing the hubub, ran out of his house near by, and caught his pig by the ears, endeavoring to pull him through the hole before his trespass was detected. But this treatment had no effect but to make the pig yell the more. An old ram in the yard, hearing the noise, and seeing piggy's hind legs and tail flourishing away in a menacing man-ner, accepted what he thought was a chal-lenge, and, lowering his head, charged with all his might. He struck his mark fairly and squarely, and the pig shot through the hole like a pork carnon-ball, and striking his master full in the breast, knocked him flat on his back. The only person who witnessed this closing scene was just entering the yard, and, not not being aware how many actors were engaged in it, was very much surprised to hear what he supposed to be the pig swearing in Irisn on the other side of the fence.

A lady was asked by her Biddy about the nature of the next world, and whether it would be just like this. The lady being blessed with a happy family of eleven children, has a skeleton in the house in the shape of a stocking basket that rever gets empty, and at whose side she has spent many a weary midnight hour in darning. With this spectacle before her eyes, she remarked to the girl playfully: 'I don't think we shall be required to darn stockings after midnight.' 'Sure. pictures of angels I have ever seen were

A clerical gentleman in examining a d the class before him if any of them could tell him anything about the Apostle Peter. A little girl raised her hand much to the gratification of the examiner. "Come up here, my good little girl," said he; "I am glad you remember your Bible lesson so well. Now tell the other boys and girls what you know of St. Peter." The little girl was quite willing, and commenced: "Peter, Peter, pumkin'-eater, had a wife and couldn't keep her; he put her in a--But before she could get "pumkin shell" the school was in a roar.

There was always something irresistibly comic in the story they used to tell about a foppish passenger on a Mississippi boat, who 'just for a little fun' jumped on shore at a landing, and drawing a bowie-knife, rushed up to gawky-looking fellow at a wood-pile, exclaiming: 'I've found you at last-you're the man I've been looking for.' The gawky looked at him for half a second, then straightened out his arm like a jibboom, and knocked the fellow overboard into ten feet of water. Resuming his position against the wood-pile, hi drawled out, 'Is there anybody else in that boat looking for me?"

A laywoman in Providence, a milliner by trade, but nevertheless, a favorite exhorter at the evening meetings of the elect, thus gave her reasons for her belief in the existence of a Supreme Being: "Sisters, am just as confident that there is a God as I am that there are bonnets in Paris; and that I know for certain, as I yesterday received from there a choice assortment of the most fashionable styles, which I will trim with more taste and sell lower than any milliner in the city."

Minnie, a three-year-old girl, got tired of "Now I lay me," and told her mother she would like to make a "new prayer." Her mother nodded assent, whereupon Minnie gravely proceeded: "Oh, Lord, bless all the Minnies, and all the papas, and all the mammas, and all the Uncle Arthurs. Jesus, I've been vaccinated, and I guess it's going to work !"

A pretty, bright little friend, some five years of age, named Rosa, was teased a good deal by a gentleman who visited the family; he finally wound up by saying, 'Rosa, I don't love you.' 'But you've got to love me,' said the child. 'How so?' asked the tormentor. 'Why,' said Rosa, 'the Bible says that you must love them that hate you, and I am sure that I hate you!

A cow trespassed on the croquet grounds attached to a female academy at Versail-"Whoosh, you horrid beast!" the girls come visitors to the family circle. just made a Dolly Varden of some old tin cans, fastened it to her narrative, and bade

T've got a new pair of boots,' said A to B, putting one forward as a sample—'a handsome fit, eh? I bought them to wear

in genteel society.'
'They will be likely to last you a lifetime, then,' replied B, 'and be worth some-

A toper sneered at a young man forwearing spectacles, when the latter said: 'It is better to wear glasses over the nose, as I do, than hold them under the nose as

you do.' A western girl, who has been well brought up, knocks down every man that kisses her; and she is so pretty, that half the married and all the single men in town have black eyes.

A newly married woman of genteel appearance, went into a furniture shop a few days since, and enquired for a "family fruit basket." She was shown a large cradle

which was just what she wanted. They tell of a farmer in Kentucky who

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